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Title: METHOD FOR MOLECULAR DIAGNOSIS OF TUMOR
ANGIOGENESIS AND METASTASIS

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals from the decision of the final rejection dated July 2, 2003, of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 20-25 and 27.

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[X] Notice of Appeal Fee

[X] To be paid as detailed below

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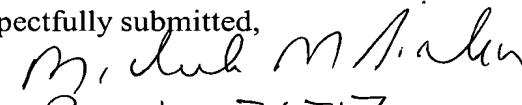
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Respectfully submitted,

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